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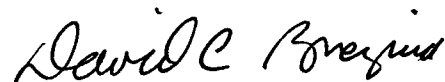
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Dear Sirs:

As per our office's telephone discussion with Examiner D'Aniello, Applicants submit herewith the Declaration page signed by inventor Matthew Q. Johnson. Applicants note that the omission of this page at the time of the filing of the Declaration was inadvertent and without deceptive intent.

Applicants respectfully request that the enclosed Declaration be entered into the official record in the application and that application proceed toward issuance.

Respectfully submitted,



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